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Curry #122

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What's with the title? Yes, it's still called *Lemon Curry* (only this one is issue 122), and it's still published by Don Del Grande, 142 Eliseo Drive, Greenbrae, CA 94904-1339, USA, phone (1)(415)461-2692, but only 6 PM - 11 PM Pacific time (midnight on Friday and Saturday nights), but in the weeks since issue 121 was published, I replaced my Atari 1040ST with a no-name PC-compatible 486/33 (for those of you who know about these things, it comes complete with Sierra ProDesigner II video card, SoundBlaster Pro sound card, 8 MB RAM, and 200 MB hard drive - total cost of about \$3000)

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What, you thought only this country had the rights to over-sponsoring sporting events?

ISSUE 121 ERRATA: I forgot the west is now DIPCON region 3 instead of 4 - the west IS eligible for DIPCON in 1996. (I am still submitting my charter amendment proposal.)

The crime was committed - the witnesses testified - the execution is ordered and carried out. No, I'm not talking about Robert Alton Harris, who became the first person executed in California in 25 years (and who may very well become the last person executed in the gas chamber at the state prison in San Quentin, located about a mile from where this is being typed); that was more a case of "the crime was committed, the conviction and sentence are automatically appealed, the sentence is upheld, the execution is ordered, the defense tied up the case with every appeal imaginable.

for 12 years, and the execution is carried out". I'm referring to your typical California inner city (although this probably applies to other states as well): the witnesses testified against a drug dealer, and the dealer (or his "superiors") order and carry out the execution against the witnesses - or, more likely, the witnesses' families. There is no doubt that *this* death penalty is an effective deterrent; fewer and fewer people are willing to testify.

Irony of the times: back in 1978, Dan White, who assassinated San Francisco's Mayor and one of the city supervisors, was convicted of manslaughter (and acquitted of murder) and sentenced to about five years in prison. The sentence resulted in a major riot that included twelve police cars being turned over and burned. Eventually, White was released - and later committed suicide (by asphyxiation, no less). Had he been found guilty of murder and sentenced to death, chances are he'd still be alive...

Irony #2: a few years ago, California tried to change its method of execution from cyanide gas to lethal injection, but the ACLU lobbied against it - almost certainly because it's a lot easier to delay an execution on the grounds that gas is cruel and unusual punishment, which is exactly what the ACLU tried to do. On top of that, they got a judge to order that the execution be videotaped as evidence in a lawsuit that is attempting to have the gas chamber declared an illegal form of execution. (Nothing new about this; the gas chamber replaced hanging in the 1930s.)

ZINE REGISTER - what makes ZR different from normal lists of game openings? Only ZR includes capsule descriptions of the 'zines by the publishers themselves (as well as other interested parties, for the alternative viewpoints). If you're looking for additional 'zines to subscribe to, but don't want (choose one: a warehouse, a letter depository, a 'zine that runs just Dip), then it's worth the \$2.50 for an issue.

'ZINES BY THE POUND! Garrett Schenck (the same one mentioned in the above paragraph) has more back issues of 'zines than his basement apartment can hold, so he will send you a manila envelope jammed full of 'zines (at least 20) for \$3 - or \$2.50 if you order the current Zine Register as well.

**TRIVIAL PURSUIT "CARRIE" - Shock Horror - Dorneman
actually MISSES one!**

ANSWERS FROM LAST TIME (Answers listed are the correct answers and not necessarily the player's guesses; asterisk indicates the player got it wrong)

DAVE ANDERSON

The Japanese sport whose name is "The Gentle Way"? **Judo*
What's in the book *Night of the Crash-Test Dummies*? "*The Far Side*" *Cartoons*

THOMASINE BOWEN

"The Mary Richards of the 1980s", according to CBS's Faith Daniels? *Murphy Brown*

The late rocker whose daughter married fellow Scientologist Danny Keough? *Elvis Presley*

SCOTT CAMERON

Who had the three tails on his Raccoon cap - Ralph Kramden, Ed Norton, or Morris Fink? *Morris Fink*

The crime series promoted by tours of a black Trans-Am? *Knight Rider*

STEPHEN DORNEMAN

The future CIA chief who managed Reagan's 1980 campaign?
**Bill Casey*

Huxley's term to describe "theological fence-sitters"? *Agnostics*

The branch of the military that had two deaths and 15 injuries caused by errant mortars in training in 7/88? *Marines*

PETE GAUGHAN

What did someone project 34' 1/4" at a 1973 competition? **Spit*
Who did Boston Corbett shoot at Garrett's Farm, VA on 4/26/1865?

John Wilkes Booth

The Vice-President who appeared on *Major Dad*? **Dan Quayle*
Suzette Charles' title for two months in 1984? *Miss America*

The smallest major island in the Greater Antilles? **Puerto Rico*

MELINDA ANN HOLLEY

The war with battles at Parrot's Beak and Black Virgin? **Vietnam*

The author of *Howdy and Me*? *Buffalo Bob Smith*

DAVID HOOD

Doogie Howser's real first name? *Douglas*

The battle that the Duke of Wellington say was won on the playing fields of Eton? *Waterloo*

BRAD WILSON

The Nickelodeon cartoon whose star wears an eyepatch and a crest with "DM" on it? *Danger Mouse*

The heavyweight boxing champion between Joe Louis and Rocky Marciano? **Ezzard Charles*

ANDREW YORK

The Italian art center that the Arno River flows through? *Florence*

The California city that's the 11th Naval District? *San Diego*

How many languages capitalize the singular first-person pronoun?
One (English)

Who played "Bombshell" on TV's *Delta House*? *Michelle Pfeiffer*

COMMENTS: "Officially", Suzette Charles is considered Miss America 1984, and Vanessa Williams cannot be called a "former Miss America" as she was stripped of all rights to the title; *Delta House* was *National Lampoon's Animal House* without John Belushi (Stephen Furst played Bluto's brother "Blotto") but with most of the movie cast in it.

NEW QUESTIONS

DAVE ANDERSON (All but PK wedge; 3 misses)

1. (1 - BR5 - YE80) What party's 1980 convention was marred when the balloons got stuck?

2. (6 - PK1s - YE80) Who was the youngest leader of the USSR before Mikhail Gorbachev?

3. (6 - YE6 - BLG2) What restaurant's address is 21 West 52nd Street, New York, NY?

4. (6,2 - PK6 - ORG2) How many Olympics have been hosted by African countries?

5. (6 - PK - TV) On *The Mary Tyler Moore Show*, what was Rhoda's occupation at Hempel's Department Store?

Note that if Dave gets question 5 right, he will have six wedges; if anyone wants to suggest the category of his "final question", let me know

THOMASINE BOWEN (PK, YE, BL wedges; 2 misses)

1. (2,6 - BR3 - ORTV) What TV network was created by Rupert Murdoch and former Paramount boss Barry Diller?
2. (5,1 - GR4 - PTKV) What 1990 sitcom transplants a Philadelphia rapper to the West Coast?
3. (1,5 - GR - TV) What future *Charlie's Angels* actress played nurse Jill Danko on *The Rookies*?

SCOTT CAMERON (YE, OR wedges; 2 misses)

1. (4 - YE4 - OR80) What country's number of retirees saw it called "The Florida of Europe"?
2. (6 - PK3 - BR80) What country's world market share of Random Access Memory (RAM) dropped from 96% in 1975 to 18% in 1987?
3. (6,1 - GR3 - BLTV) What 1950s sitcom was the first TV show to be seen by 10 million people?
4. (3 - GR - 80) What Avon bath oil had its sails soar in 1988 after a rumor that it kept bugs away?

STEPHEN DORNEMAN (YE, BL, BR, GR wedges; 1 miss)

1. (1 - YE1 - BRG2) What country presented a volume of photos entitled "Between Friends/Entre Amis" to the USA for its bicentennial?
2. (3,6 - PK4 - YE80) The 1980 Windfall Profits Tax was imposed upon what industry?
3. (2,1 - PK1 - BLTV) Who became Johnny Carson's announcer on *Who Do You Trust?* in 1958?
4. (2 - YE6 - BLTV) What CBS variety show host asked viewers to help Durward Kirby make a quilt, resulting in thousands of contributions?
5. (6 - YE - 80) In what year did Emperor Hirohito die?
6. (5,1 - YE6 - BLTV) What watch company supplied a "time check" in its first TV ads, for which they paid \$9 each to show?
7. (1 - PK - TV) In how many of *M*A*S*H*'s 11 seasons did it not finish in the top 10?

PETE GAUGHAN (PK, YE, BR, GR wedges; 7 misses)

1. (6 - BL6 - GR80) Golfer Joanne Carner refuses to use a golf ball with what number on it?
2. (4,1 - BL1 - PKTV) What occupation had Jose Jimenez hopping on *The Bill Dana Show*?
3. (6 - OR - G2) What sport features sails, wishbone booms, and universal joints?

MELINDA ANN HOLLEY (OR, BR wedges; 10 misses)

1. (4 - BR4 - GRTV) Whose attempts at portraying a priest on *Helltown* provided David Letterman with comedy material?
2. (6,3,6 - BR1 - YEG2) What Asian leader did Winston Churchill call a "half-naked fakir"?
3. (3,1 - GR6 - YEG2) What beach saw the heaviest resistance on D-Day?
4. (2 - BR1 - YEG2) What did Plennie Wingo wear on his glasses for his San Francisco-Santa Maria backward walk in 1976?
5. (2 - GR6 - YEG2) What murderer tried to stab the trial judge with a sharpened pencil?
6. (4,4,6 - YE6 - BLG2) On what floor of the White House is the Rose Room?
7. (1 - PK - 80) What Billy Joel hit advises, "Tell her everything you feel"?

DAVID HOOD (BL, YE, BR wedges; 12 misses)

1. (5,6 - BL3 - YEG2) What fraction of the states must ratify an amendment to the U.S. Constitution?
2. (6,2 - OR - G2) What was Mart, Queen of Scots, the first to employ on a golf course?

BRAD WILSON (YE wedge; 4 misses)

1. (2,5 - BL - G2) What South Pacific island had a population of 63 in 1980?

ANDREW YORK (no wedges; 1 miss)

1. (4 - PK4 - YEG2) Who rode a horse named *Copenhagen* at the battle of Waterloo?
2. (3,6 - YE3 - GRG2) What gridded breakfast appliance did Cornelius Swarthout receive a patent for in 1869?
3. (1,2 - YE - G2) What World War II leader had a parakeet named Toby?

DEADLINE is JUNE 6

DIPLOMACY "ANNIE", SPRING 1906 - What's this? And What's THAT?

For those of you reading this in *Lemon Curry*, this game started in *Victims Wanted* and was taken over after Fall 1905. Winter 1905 was played outside of the 'zine (in fact, some of the players are receiving this on a separate flyer rather than subscribing).

Note that this game does not have a BN as two of the players are brothers.

**AUSTRIA (Hughes): A BUD-Ser, A Tyo-VEN, F Tri-Adr (ann),
A RUM S A Bud-Ser**

ENGLAND (CD): A NWY H, F STP(nc) H

**FRANCE (R. Nielsen): F Nwg-BAR, A EDI-Den, A Mun-BER,
A Bur-RUH, A BEL S A Bur-Ruh, F ENG S F Nth,**

F NTH C A Edi-Den, A Lvp-YOR, F Bre-GAS, A Par-BUR

**GERMANY (Wilson): F Den-SWE, F SKA S F Den-Swe,
A Sev-MOS, A Ruh S A Boh-Mun(d/ret to Hol,OTB),
A KIE-Den, A Pru-LVN, A Boh-MUN**

**ITALY (Marsland): F Bul(ec)-CON, A Tus-PIE, A Ven-TRI,
F ADR S A Ven-Tri, F ALB-Gre, A SER S F Alb-Gre,
F Ion-AEG, F Nap-ION**

RUSSIA (CD): A Swe H(ann)

TURKEY (B. Nielsen): A GRE S ITALIAN A Ser, F BLA-Rum

DEADLINE for SUMMER (retreat) and FALL 1906 is JUNE 10.

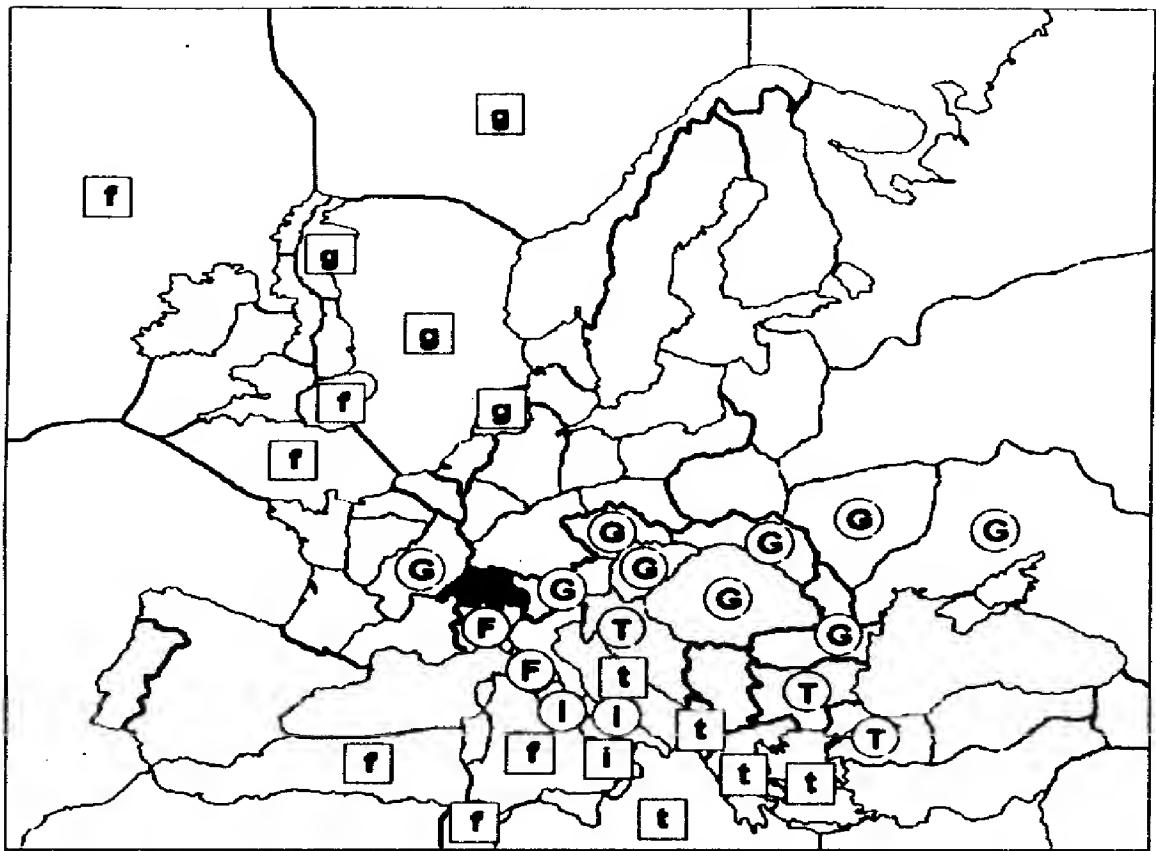
PRESS

AUSTRIA-WORLD: Please, don't let this be a game of "incommunicado", players!

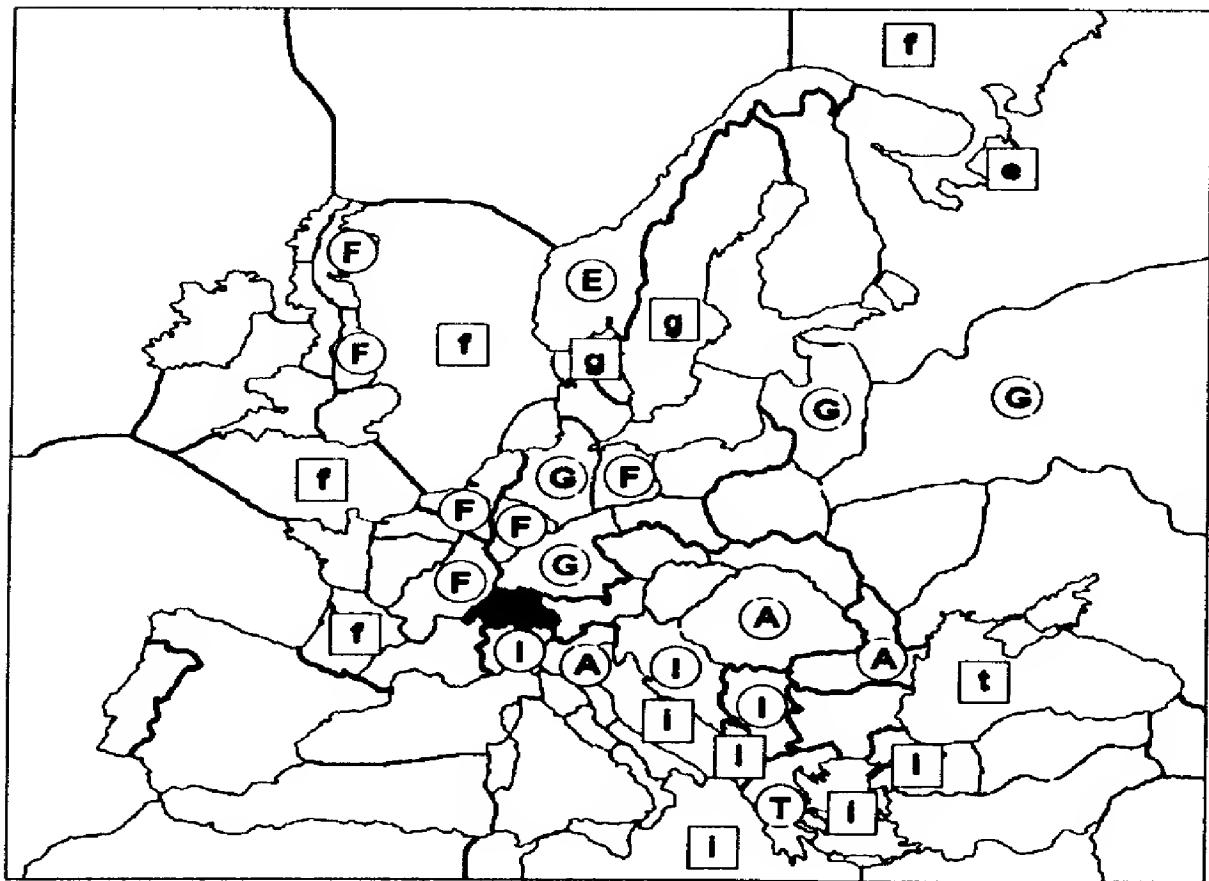
ITALY-GM: All players should be advised that France was my best friend in high school.

GM-ITALY: France, his brother, AND his best friend - but that doesn't top the 'zine (which shall remain nameless) where someone is GMing a game in which his brother is playing (on top of that, they still live together - but the player promises not to open the GM's mail...)

Les Misérables



ANNIE



**DIPLOMACY "LES MISERABLES", SUMMER/FALL 1912 -
Everybody wants Venice, while nobody but Germany wants
Rumania**

SUMMER 1912: Russia's A Sev retreated OTB and has no units

FALL 1912

FRANCE (Goode): F ENG H, F NAO H, F LON H,
A TUS-Ven, A PIE S A Tus-Ven, F WES-Tun,
F TUN-Ion, F TYH S F Tun-Ion

GERMANY (Mercer): A Mun-BUR, A Gal-RUM, A TYO-Tri,
A BUD S A Gal-Rum, F HEL S F Den-Nth, F Den-NTH,
A BOH-Tyo, F NWG S F Den-Nth, A VIE S A Bud,
F Nth-EDI, A Sil-GAL, A SEV S A Gal-Rum,
A UKR S A Gal-Rum

ITALY (Anderson): A APU-Ven, A ROM S A Apu-Ven,
F NAP S FRENCH F Tun-Ion

RUSSIA (C. Ozog) has no units

TURKEY (Dorneman): F AEG S F Ion, A TRI-Ven,
F ION S ITALIAN F Nap-Tyh, A Ser-BUL, A Bul-CON,
F ALB S F Ion, F GRE S F Ion, F ADR S A Tri-Ven

1912 SUPPLY CENTERS (Keep / GAIN / lose)

FRANCE: Par, Bre, Mar, Spa, Por, Tun, Lon, Lvp - 8, even

GERMANY: Kie, Ber, Mun, Bel, Hol, Den, Swe, Stp, Nwy,
Edi, War, Mos, Rum, BUD, VIE, SEV - 16, build 3

ITALY: Nap, Rom, Ven - 3, even

RUSSIA: sev - 0, out

TURKEY: Con, Ank, Smy, Bul, Gre, Ser, Tri, vie, bud - 7,
remove 1

**There is a CONCESSION TO GERMANY proposed; vote with
your next orders. (NVR = YES as Germany has the most SCs)**

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS for CHARLES MERCER:
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(that's Sebastopol with a B)**

DEADLINE for WINTER 1912 and SPRING 1913 is JUNE 10

PRESS

TURKEY-GERMANY: Come on down, the door's wide open and the welcome mat is out. I'll vote for any draw including me, OR for a Concession to Germany. Count on it.

GERMANY-TURKEY: Despite the heroic efforts of England and Russia, they have joined the ranks of "Les Miserables". Are you next?

1830 "42nd STREET", STOCK ROUND 4A - Don't let those trains go anywhere yet

There was an objection to the fact that I let the stock round continue after B&M's presidency changed hands.

Derwood Bowen (122) sold 20% B&O for 82 and 10% PRR for 68, and bought 10% B&M for pool for 40

B&O stock drops to E71 (PRR is at the bottom of column H)

Dick Martin (24) passes

Mark Frueh (41) sells 10% NYNH for 65

NYNH stock drops to G63

John Cain (35) passes

David Hood (61) buys 10% B&M from pool for 40

Scott Cameron (44) passes

DB (232) buys 10% B&M from pool for 40

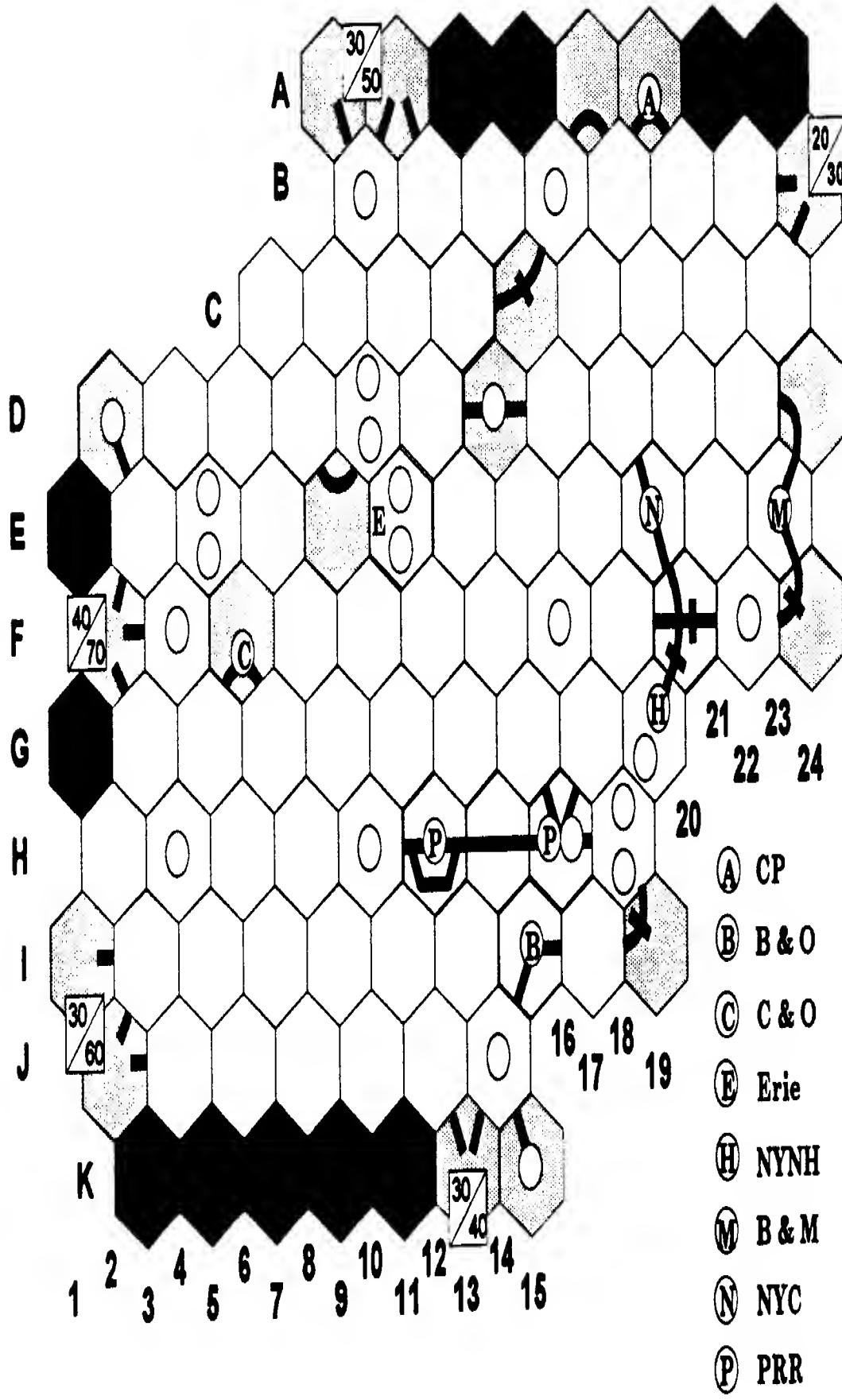
DM, MF, JC, DH, SC all pass

DB (192) buys 10% B&M from pool for 40

Derwood Bowen takes over the presidency of B&M from Scott Cameron, so the stock round is suspended here. Dick Martin has the next turn.

Because this is the second delay, I am asking for orders for the rest of Stock Round 4 AND Operating Round 4.1. (OR 4.2 will be combined with SR 5.) *Remember that you can supply operating orders for any corporation in which you own stock.*

42nd Street



CORPORATION STANDINGS

B&M: Par 67, Stock K40, Treasury 670 - DB 30%, SC 20%,
Pool 10% .

B&O: Par 82, Stock E71 - SC 30%, Pool 20%

C&O: Stock G69, Treasury 120, 2 "2" and 2 "3" trains - MF 50%,
DM 20%, DB 10%, JC 10%, Pool 10%

NYC: Par 76, Stock D76 - DH 30%

NYNH: Stock G63, Treasury 610, 2 "2" trains - JC 50%, DH 20%,
DB 10%, DM 10%, MF 10%

PRR: Par 67, Stock H68, Treasury 110, 2 "2" and 1 "3" trains,
M&H - DM 60%, Pool 30%

PLAYER STANDINGS

Cameron: \$44, 30% B&O, 20% B&M, C&SL, C&A

Bowen: \$152, 30% B&M, 10% C&O, 10% NYNH, B&O (pvt)

Martin: \$24, 60% PRR, 20% C&O, 10% NYNH

Frueh: \$106, 50% C&Q, 10% NYNH

Cain: \$35, 50% NYNH, 10% C&O, SV

Hood: \$21, 30% NYC, 20% NYNH, D&H

Pool: 10% B&M, 20% B&O, 10% C&O, 30% PRR

DEADLINE is JUNE 6

KINGMAKER "ME AND MY GAL", TURN 23 - Alive and kicking (well, sort of)

PRE-MOVE: Berkeley, Cromwell, Howard, Pole, and Stanley are executed; Duke of Exeter, Warden of the Cinque Ports, and Earl of Wiltshire go to Chancery, while the five nobles are placed into the crown deck. Also, Andrew York starts Mowbray at Framlingham, while King's Court starts Le Swan in Berwick (trapped until Ozog gives permission) and Le Nicholas in London, both "owned" by Bourchier, and gives Le Michael to Bourchier and Bishop of Norwich to Stafford. (King's Court gets Lancaster Town "as a faction".)

WHITE DUCHESS II (C. Ozog?)

CLIFFORD remains at York(g)

NEVILLE remains at Bamburgh*

PLANTAGENET YORK remains at h23**

(Unnamed Faction #1) (York)

FITZALAN and HOLLAND enter Dublin

HERBERT remains at Douglas(g)

MOWBRAY remains at Framlingham

GREYSTOKE (h10)-h11-Thetford*

KING'S COURT (Anderson)

BEAUFORT, ROOS, STAFFORD, and PLANT. LANCASTER
(Farnham/(g))-Windsor-Barnet-Royston-Thetford*

BOURCHIER (Pleshey)-Royston-Thetford*

Le SWAN trapped in Berwick by WD2

Le NICHOLAS (London)-s22-s21-s23-s24-Caister

Le LUCAS (Rye)-s20-s21-s23-s24-Caister

Le MICHAEL (Douglas)-s2-s4-s7-s9-Milford Haven

(Unnamed Faction #2) (McHugh?)

PERCY and HASTINGS remain at Bristol(g)

Le CHRISTOPHER remains at Preston

Le ROSE remains at Pevensey

COMBAT: The entire King's Cross faction faces Greystoke at Thetford (310-10). KC wins (MERCENARY STRIFE - Majority) and Greystoke is taken prisoner.

YOUR TURN 22 CROWN CARD:

TURN 23 EVENTS: SCOTS RAID (Neville to Berwick); PEASANT REVOLT (Stafford to Leeds, Neville to Canterbury, Plantagenet York to Black Heath); REVOLT IN WALES (Plantagenet York to Stokestay); non-event to McHugh

DEADLINE is JUNE 10

GAME OPENINGS

TRIVIAL PURSUIT - Openings are always available for this "campaign" version. Rules available on request. You don't need to own the game to play.

UNITED - Game of soccer management. I have just taken over the *Disease City* league from Jim Goode, but there are some spots available in the newest season.

KINGMAKER - I could use one or two standbys in my current game. Remember, you get 50 cents credit for each of your first two sets of orders and an additional \$1 credit for finishing the position. (Credit is transferrable to ANY 'zine.)

ROAD TO THE WHITE HOUSE - Mayfair Games' newest game of presidential aspirations, similar to Jake Halverstadt's *Presidential Politics* game I ran a few years back.

TOP KNIFE

is awaiting results from the Victorian Diplomacy Championships held last month in Melbourne. In the meantime, don't forget that the first American IDTR-sanctioned tournament for this year, DIXIECON, is set for May 22-24 in Chapel Hill, NC. Send your registration fee (\$15 plus \$26/night housing for a single or double room) to David Hood, 2905 20th St NE, Hickory, NC 28601.

I also have information on CAN-CON (or is it CANCON? I'm referring to the Canadian one); it's scheduled for July 30-August 2 in Toronto. Write to Cal White, 1 Turnberry Ave, Toronto, Ontario M6N 1P6, or Doug Acheson, Unit 5, Suite 330, 320 Yonge St, Barrie, Ontario L4N 4C8, and remember that it costs extra to send a letter to Canada.

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